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CIRCUS ARRIVES SUNDAY FOR PERFORMANCES TODAY

Largest Aggergation of Kind That Ever Came to Charieroi.

PARADE A BIG FEATURE

Weather Interferes Somewhat, but Crowds Are in Town to Witness Affair

Although interferred with to some extent by the weather the Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers big circus is here today, and is giving two shows. The first show is this afternoon at 2 o'clock, in the big tent which was pitched yesterday on the ball ground and the evening show will be at 8 o'clock, the doors opening at 7.

The show arrived in town from Connellsville yesterday morning at about 5 o'clock, and work was at once gotten under way of unloading the carloads of wagons and animals. On the old circus ground and on the ball ground the tents were pitched. The main show is on the ball ground, the big tent having been pitched in right field. On the center of the diamond is the animal tent, through which one has to pass to enter the big arena. The side show tent is located between the ball ground and the railroad, while the eating tent, the cook tent, and the horse tents are located on the old circus ground.

The parade was an early morning feature, on account of the arrival early Sunday morning, the show people having been able to get ready sooner than is usual for a similar aggregation. The parade was the finest ever seen in Charleroi, the gorgeous carriages and equipment calling forth the respectful admiration of the crowds which lined the streets. The band music was of more than usual excellence.

The Forepaugh and Sells Brothers show is the largest that ever visited Charleroi, as is evidenced by the space occupied by the tents. Consequently it has in greater number the wonders of the world, as well as the finer class of showmen, and show women. The shows have a wonderful display of animals.

During Sunday Charleroi's population turned out in force at the show grounds and many came from Monessen and other towns to watch the operation of unloading and pitching the tents. This afternoon an immense crowd is witnessing the show.

The schools were dismissed early for both morning and afternoon sessions, to see the parade, and attend the show.

How to Keep a Husband Home

The good wife always studies how to keep her husband home, for she'd rather have him with her than be in the house alone, and so she don't forget their courting days when as a girl, her lover's praise would set her heart and pulses all a-whirl. She knows full well the value of a smile and pretty gown, when she meets her lord and master as he comes home tired from town, and the house all neat and tidy, and a restful atmosphere, and some loving word of greeting his weary heart to cheer. The woodwork with Chi-Namel all glistening and bright, no man from such a home would ever go down town at night. The new Parquetry Floor Stenciling Process gives a hundred dollar floor at a cost of only 2c per sq. foot. Any one can apply it. Sold by T. P. Grant. 32

Former Charleroi Man Played With Forepaugh Band

The arrival of Forepaugh and Sells Brothers shows brings to mind the fact that some years ago a Charleroi man was a member of the band, one of the best show bands on the road. This was Joseph Rossomme, a member of the Rossomme family here, who played a clarinet with one of the bands during the season of 1907 and 1908. He is now located in Los Angeles, Cal., where he is playing in a theatre.

TO REBUILD OLD PLANT

Plate Glass Company Will Start Work at Ford City

DESTROYED LAST WEEK

Was Running to Full Capacity and Loss is Serious One

The Pittsburg Plate Glass company has announced that it will start work at once on the erection of its Ford City plant which was burned down last Monday. Part of the plant will be started at once, and glass will be made in the small unburned portion. The total loss to the company from the fire is estimated at between $300,000 and $400,000. The burned portion was the older part and not the portion which had recently been built and enlared at great cost. The Pittsburg Plate Glass company carried its own insurance, and in the insurance fund there is enough to repair all damage that has come to the Ford City factory. The most serious trouble it is stated, caused by the fire, will be the delay in filling orders. The Ford City works was regarded as one of the best of the Pittsburg Plate Glass company and was running to its capacity.

GRAND JURY IN FAVOR OF NEW ROAD UP RIVER

The grand jury last week approved the proposition to improve the road with brick between Stockdale and Roscoe. A former grand jury had approved a proposition to improve this road with macadam, but this has been changed and brick will be substituted.

The road is 1,121.5 feet in length. To improve with brick, it is estimated it will cost $3,598.99 Adding to this ten per cent for incidentals the total estimated cost of bricking the road would be $3,958.89. To macadamize the road it is estimated it would cost $2,553.24, and adding ten per cent for incidentals the total estimated cost of macadaimzing would be $2,808.56.

WANTED—Laborers $1.75 per day. Apply at 381 Mail office. 223t2p

RAILROAD DETECTIVES ARRESTED MORE THAN THE JAIL WOULD HOLD

Halt Called by County Officials on Number Being Sent Over, Unless the Company Would Pay.

A good story has leaked out from Washington, Pa., concerning the activites of the Pennsylvania railroad detectives in enforcing the order to prevent trespassers from walking on the tracks.

It is stated that in the first place the railroad company did not put the order into effect upon its own accord. The State Railroad Commission inquired why so many were being killed on the tracks and investigated the records, after which it made a recommendation that the company put into force an order tending to prevent the wanton destruction of life. Then the Pennsylvania Railroad company prepared and issued the trespassing order, with the result that within a remarkably short time the detectives had the jails well nigh filled, including the Washington county jail.

So promiscuous did the arrests become, and so many were being sent to Washington, thus greatly increasing the expense, that the commissioners of the county and the controller were forced to call a halt, and informed the railroad that they could no longer pay the expenses of the tresspassers and if the company desired to maintain the prisoners they could do so, but the county would not be responsible. This placed the railroad company between two fires. The people are gradually becoming acquainted with the order, however, and trespassing is not nearly so common.

FIND SKELETON ON RIVER BANK AT ALLENPORT

Skull Had Been Sawed in Two—Wrapped In An Old Coffee Sack

DOCTOR MAY HAVE USED IT

Tied up in a coffee sack and lying on the bank of the river on the Allenport side opposite Fayette City, where it had been thrown by some unknown hands no one can tell when, a human skeleton devoid of flesh unjointed and the skull sawed in two, was found Thursday by junk men while looking for junk along the river banks. It had evidently been lying in the sand for some time for the sack was rotten and when picked up, the contents fell to the ground.

The sack was picked up by J. A. Ballmer, who owns a junk boat that plys up and down the river buying old rags, iron and paper. The skeleton may have been used by some doctor for experimental work, and when through with it, had disposed of it by throwing it in the river, when it was later washed ashore, or it may have been cast on the ground where it was found.

The skeleton is now at the undertaking rooms of Correll and Crowley at Charleroi.

BOTTLE BLOWERS HOLD MEMORIAL

Rev. Hostetter Preaches Good Sermon to Glass Workers

The members of the Green Bottle Blowers Association, Charleroi local No. 93 of Charleroi, held their first memorial services in Charleroi at the First Christian church yesterday afternoon, when a sermon was delivered to the glass workers by Rev. V. G. Hosteter, the pastor.

There were about 75 of the members of the union present, and a large number of outsiders. David H. Glunt, president of the union, was master of ceremonies. He gave a brief talk, in which he outlined the general work of the Bottle Blowers Association since its organization about 10 years ago, and of the local union.

Rev. Hostetter spoke on the topic, "The Royalty of Service," his general theme being the dignity of labor.

The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and each member of the association wore a white carnation, and each person who attended was given a carnation of the same hue.

Mrs. Harry Barnhart was called to Cleveland, Ohio, Saturday by the illness of her father who was operated upon for abscess of the bowels at the Lutheran Hospital.

CENSUS REPORTS MUST BE IN BY SATURDAY NIGHT

Rural Districts Reporting Now to Census Supervisor Frye

ARE QUICKLY TABULATED

All reports of census enumerators will be due in the supervisors' office by Saturday or this week, and indications are that there will be no delay. In the local district many have already reported to Census Supervisor C. O. Frye of Charleroi, and he is having them tabulated as rapidly as possible.

The reports have all been made from the seven towns and cities in the 21st district, where the census was taken in the allowed time of two weeks. In the rural districts a month's time was given for enumeration.

Lots Nos. 16, 18 and 20 in section A, between Seventh and Eighth streets, Charleroi, were disposed of under the sheriff's hammar at Washington Saturady. They were taken in execution as the property of B. A. Zollner, at the suit of the Allen Lumber company and were sold to Allen Lumber company. Consideration $102.27.

DOCTORS TO MEET IN RIVER TOWN

Regular Session Will Be Held This Month at California

The regular monthy meeting of the Washington County Medical Society will be held in the hall of the People's bank at California on Tuesday. There has been a good program prepared of special interest to medical men as follows:

"Diagnosis and Treatment of Tuberculous Salpingitis," Dr. Chas. B. Wood of Monongahela.

"Indications and Contraindications for Curettage," Dr. J. W. Hunter of Charleroi.

"Diagnosis of Pelvic Inflammation," Dr. M. H. Day of Donora.

A goodly number of the county physicians are expected to be in attendance.

$50—Texas—$40

You can join the special excursion train which leaves Columbia and Nashville, Tennessee, Tuesday, May 17, 1910, for San Angelo, Carlsbad and the Collyns Ranch, Tom Green County, Texas, at Little Rock, Arkansas, by leaving Charleroi on 6:56 a. m. train on same date. Ticket for round trip $50.00, good for 25 days with liberal stop over privileges on return.

For further information, call on or address,

H. F. Parsons 502 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 222t2

CONGRESSMAN'S PROSPECTS GOOD FOR ANOTHER TERM

Beaver County Aspirant Not Expected to Furnish Hot Contest.

LOCAL MAN VERY POPULAR

Work Done in Congress Wins Him Many Friends in the 24th District.

With the close of the time for filing applications for nominations at the primary election in June the campaign will be inaugrated in earnest. As usual, the fight will be for the Republican nominations, as this party is decidedly in the majority in the county and Congressional and Senatorial districts, and a nomination is equivalent to an election. With two Republican candidates for Congress, two for State Senate and an even dozen for Assembly, the campaign ought to be interesting, to say the least. This should have the effect of getting the vote out, and instead of a light vote, as anticipated, the indications now are that, with all the candidates and their friends at work, the vote will be approximately as large as at the primary election two years ago. So far as the Congressional contest is concerned, there is nothing to it. Congressman J. K. Tener is infinitely stronger than he was two years ago, when he came out in opposition to E. F. Acheson as a candidate for the nomination for Congress and so overwhelmingly defeated the latter. Then Mr. Acheson had not only the advantage of being the incumbent in Congress, but he had all the aid of the patronage his office commanded, which is great, besides control of the political organization of his party in all three counties of the district. This time this is reversed, and all these forces are with Mr. Tener, who by his tact, consideration, and executive ability in handling the various questions that have come up since his election, is most firmly intrenched in the district. He is in close touch with all sections, and there is no discord anywhere. Two years ago he was a comparative stranger in many parts of the district. Today he is well known, and there is every indication that he will get a larger majority than two years ago.

As all the other candidates are from this county, there promises to be a warm fight. On the threshold of the campaign there is no indication at this time as to the final outcome.

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CHI-NAMEL. 92

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YOUNG MAN CAPTURED

Bogus Magazine Agent Arrested in Fayette County

CASE WILL BE PUSHED

Frank A. Munsey Company at Back of Proceedings Against Him

Word was received by George W. Might, son of George S. Might, the local newsdealer, yesterday, from the Frank A. Munsey company, to the effect that the alleged magazine swindler, who had been working in this section had been captured in the neighborhood. The capture was made through the efforts of B. E. Jones, an agent of the Munsey company, who has been on the trail of the young man for some time.

The name of the man arrested, it is stated, is H. A. Gardner. In their letter to Mr. Might, the Munsey company thanks him for his efforts in assisting them, and stated that it was through his promptness in reporting the arrival of the young man in this section that aided them in his capture.

Mr. Jones for a few days made his headquarters in Uniontown, and sent from there circular descriptions to police nearabouts, so that his capture was made easier. At just what place he was arrested cannot be learned. Gardner will be give.. a trial, and according to the Munsey people they expect to "put him to work."

Stars Beat Monongahela

The Charleroi Stars at the local diamond Saturday defeated a Monongahela team by the score of 6 to 1. The batteries for Charleroi were McGowan and Demarco, and for Monongahela, Sailor and Pollock.

The grand jury last week ignored the bill against Tony Trocasio, charged with killing Vincenzo Gaimbo, at Shire Oaks April 2. Trocasio is still in the Monongahela hospital suffering from wounds received at the hands of Gaibma whom he later shot and killed. The evidence showed that Trocaiso had fired after he himself had been shot at twice by Gaimba.

F. B. Gaayman of East Bethlehem township, a prominent farmer of that section, was in town today.

Dr. Van Voorhis Celebrates His 87th Birthday

Dr. J. S. Van Voorhis of Belle Vernon one of the best known physicians of the Monongahela valley, who is also noted as a historian, yesterday celebrated his 87th birthday. He did not have any especial celeration, but received a number of calls and messages. The doctor is stll pretty active for one of his years, although he is inclined to give way to the younger generation. Dr. Van Voorhis has created quite a reputation for himself as a historian, and has a fund of valuable information and historical data.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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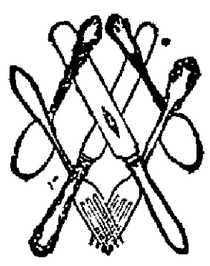

you should exercise a little judgment. Remember, "all is not gold that glitters;" and some dealers are willing to handle inferior goods that look "just as nice," but they won't stand any wear. You can find the trade-mark of every reputable silver manufacturer stamped on our goods, and the prices are just as reasonable in proportion to the quality we keep.

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46th District

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The Circus.

With the great Forepaugh and Sells Brothers Circus in Charleroi today the town is the Mecca for outside people for miles around, as well as a thriller for the entire population. Business and the public schools are demoralized, and until the outfit is loaded on the trains and pulls out late tonight, thecommunity will not settle down to normal conditions again.

With each recurring year the circus is becoming more and more a feature of American life. In early years the circus was considered in many circles sinful and worldly and was tabooed by a considerable element of society. Today this is all past. It is quite the thing to go to the modern circus now, and the institution is an educator as well as a means of recreation and entertainment.

Another exploded theory is that circuses take too much money out of town. As a matter of fact a big circus actually leaves more money in the town proper than it takes out. The show draws its surplus from the outside crowds. As an economic factor it is a benefit. It advertises the town and brings people here. The show management pays out more money in maintaining its people and stock than the town actually pays in the way of admissions. Besides that it affords a delightful break in the lives of old and young and adds greatly to the limited pleasures of life.

Boost the Fourth.

Today, large crowds of outside people will visit Charleroi to attend the circus. These will meet and greet their old friends, at which time it will be a good opportunity to do some individual boosting for the Fourth of July celebration to be held here. Every resident should bear this in mind and take occasion to invite outside friends he meets today to return on the Fourth, and urge them to invite their friends, and their friend's friends. By so doing an endless chain in the way of advertising can be started and carried out.

Another good advertising feature today is for all the business places and individuals to be hospitable to out of town people. Invite them to make the stores and shops headquarters, and so far as possible provide places for women with children and aged people to sit down and rest. Take care of packages and parcels, and be friendly and hospitable in every possible manner. This treatment will be as bread cast upon the waters, and it will return not only on the Fourth but on many succeeding occasions thereafter.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The Fayettte City Journal informs the Mail of its antiquity when it used once the expression "We'er from Missour:," yet last week the up-to-date Journal came out with a headline in 36 point type, "School Days, School Days, Good Old Golden Rule Days," not heeding the fact, that although the first named expression is still in use the latter is wearing whiskers yards in length.

The largest train in the world might be the train on a woman's gown. It is without doubt the most troublesome train.

The commencement of all kinds of schools, township, high school grade, and others is becoming the fashion. In some it is all right to call the exercises "commencement." because they are beginning to commence, but in others it is the wrong, for they are only commencing to begin.

It's a tribute to the P. R. R. detectives that they sent more people to jail than the jails were willing to handle. All because of the Railroad Commission.

In Chicago, a dying man was arrested on the streets. It must be there that dying is considered a misdemeanor.

A 1,000 or so friends of Congressman Cooper of the Fayette district are anxious to have him maintain his seat in Congress. No doubt expect him to attain a place on the Rivers and Harbors committee, eventually.

The Atchison Globe says that everybody wastes half his time. They should add to that statement every person except a wide awake newspaper man—he doesn't dare, or he will starve

It may be regarded as a sure sign that the girl who is most willing to elope with her lover, is not expecting any wedding presents anyway.

Says the Sheep Hill Philosopher of the New Castle Herald: "One proof of men's superority over the women is that they never button their clothes down the back."

The credit for the drop in the price of eggs must be given to the hens, and not to the packing interests.

COURT CONTINUES INJUNCTION IN CHARLEROI CASE

After hearing the testimony on Saturday in the injunction suit of Mattie K. French and Mary A. Mincks of Charleroi against Robert Fram, the court continued the preliminary injunction heretofore granted until final hearing and the further order of the court. The plaintiffs seek to enjoin the defendants from interfering with or stopping up a certain sewer that accommodates the plaintiffs, property on Second street, Charleroi. This sewer runs along the dividing line between the plaintiffs' and defendants' properties.

Miss Mary Bukrop returned home yesterday from Pittsburg, where she spent a week visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wiley and Mrs. Sadie Riffle of Adah, Fayette county, are in Charleroi for the circus being the guests of the formers' daughter, Mrs. Evan Kelly of McKean avenue.

A. J. Fisher, a prominent farmer of Carroll township was in town today.

At the Methodist church yesterday morning, Rev. W. E. Lewis of Allenport preached for the pastor, Rev. A. M. Doak. In the evening Rev. J. E. Brenneman of Monessen preached.

Miss Margaret McKelvie has arrived from Uniontown and will spend some time here.

Mrs. J. T. Harris, has returned from Youngstown, Ohio, where she spent several weeks with friends.

Mrs. Nathan Greenberg has returned home after a fortnight's visit in Philadelphia, with relatives.

MODES OF THE MOMENT.

Chiffons are still trimmed with folds of satin or velvet.

Dyed laces of a coarse mesh will be worn on tailored gowns.

The sleeve in one piece with the corsage is gaining considerable prestige. It rivals the Rhinoma sleeve at present.

Some of the braid trimmed waists are wonderfully fetching and give ample scope for extravagant elaboration with simple lines

While the entire costume is now considered more dressy, the spring showing of separate blouses is undeniably larger and more varied than for several seasons.

Tiny pockets in all manner of odd designs are very much in evidence, although they are in reality but a travesty on the name, never by any chance being other than mere patches and therefore entirely ornamental. — New York Post.

A Compositor's Blunder.

Some years ago the following apologetic explanation for a compositor's blunder appeared in a leading weekly literary journal published in London:

"In our last number, as we discovered unfortunately too late for correction, we announced that Mr. John Stuart Mill's inaugural address lately delivered before the University of St. Andrews had since been republished by him 'in the form of a five shilling elephant.' Even the most ardent believers in Mr. Mill's powers among our readers will probably have received this announcement with some incredulity. The fact is that by an error of the press the word 'elephant' was substituted for 'pamphlet,' and the mistake, although the proof was read and reread, unluckily escaped the corrector's eye."

An Ancient Sky Pilot.

From Garnett's "Anthology," volume 7, page 48. I copy the following, taken from the "Writings of Lucian," a Greek born about 100 A. D.:

"We were suddenly caught by a whirlwind, which turned our vessel several times around in a circle with tremendous velocity and lifted it above 3,000 stadia in the air, not settling it down again on the sea, but kept it suspended above the water at that height and carried us on, with swelled sails, above the clouds."

In these days of air conquest this quotation might be of utmost interest to aeronauts and also literary men. This ancient Gulliver long preceded Swift, and as for outdistancing Jules Verne another quotation is added:

"Having thus continued our course through the sky for a space of seven days and as many nights, on the eighth day we described a sort of earth in the air," etc. (which proved to be the moon).

The thoroughly familiar vernacular expression "going some" applies with original vigor to this early and perhaps first sky pilot.—New York Times.

A PERILOUS PERCH.

Two Nights on a Ledge of a Lofty Peak in the Tyrol.

In the northeastern corner of the Tyrol is the best skee ground in Europe, writes W. A. Baillie-Grohman in "Tyrol." The region has many lofty peaks, which make mountain climbing of interest. The author gives one of his adventures on a peak near the village of Kitzbuhel.

On one of these peaks occurred to me many years ago a little adventure which gave me an opportunity of admiring the grand view rather longer than was pleasant.

I was out stalking chamois, and, having some unoccupied hours in the middle of the day, when stalking is practically useless, as the beasts are resting, I thought I would ascend one of those pinnacles upon which at that time few human beings, I suppose, had ever set foot.

The very last bit was a smooth faced rock not more than twelve feet high, but absolutely unclimbable if unaided by rope or another man upon whose shoulders one could get and so obtain a hand grip of the top and thus draw oneself up. As I was alone I had recourse to a short length of rope I had in my rucksack. Making a slip noose, I threw it upward till it gripped some projection. Then I drew myself up.

While looking about me an unfortunate movement of my legs, which were dangling over the brink as I sat, caused the rope to slip and fall down to the small ledge on which I had stood when flinging it upward. This ledge or band of rock was uncomfortably narrow, not wider than thirty inches, and the abyss below was a perpendicular wall four or five church steeples in depth.

At first it did not seem such a serious fix to be in. By letting myself drop to the ledge, my extended arms gripping the top, the distance between the soles of my feet and the ledge was not more than four feet or so—nothing to speak of if that yawning gulf had not been there and I had had boots on my feet. But, having taken these off and left them below, together with my coat and rifle, I should have to drop on to sharp rocks barefooted and hence would be very apt to lose my balance.

The more I considered the position the more I funked that drop, and, to make a long story short, I stayed on that pinnacle two nights, until the morning of the third day, before hunger drove me to risk the drop, which I did in safety.

How I got down the remainder of that descent, "shinning" down chimneys and creeping along narrow edges, was a mystery to me afterward, for I was faint with hunger and my knees trembled and shook under me. When I reached the first habitation where I happened to be known the peasant woman at the door hardly recognized me.

The Canny Scot's Sense of Humor.

The reason a Scot does not laugh at a joke right away, says Dean Ramsay, is not, as is the popular fiction, that he is "slow in the uptake," but that the canny man will not commit himself He must think it over before he donates the exact amount of laughter which the joke deserves. The Scot minister, who is Scotland's common public speaker, is aware, consciously or instinctively, of this trait, and his delivery of an anecdote with a point is a thing of unique art.

Solicitude.

"Charley, dear," said young Mrs. Torkins, "didn't you say that horse you bought has a pedigree?"

"Yes," was the complacent reply.

"Well, knowing how unlucky you are with horses, I consulted a veterinary surgeon. You needn't worry The doctor says it won't hurt him in the least."—Washington Star.

What Man Owes to Birds.

"It should be realized," said a naturalist, "that without birds to hold in check the insects vegetable life soon would cease and life for man would become impossible upon the earth. Birds are nature's check to the amazing power of insects to increase. If insect life were allowed free course it would soon overpower plant life, and therefore animal life, including that of man, would be impossible. This is an astounding conclusion, but it is the conclusion of science. If the birds were gone very soon the leaves would disappear from the trees, and the limbs would be festooned with the webs of caterpillars or with masses of their nests. These would move from tree to tree, increasing by the million as they advanced. In the course of a few seasons there would be no trees. In the fields other species of insects would destroy the grass and the grain and all vegetable life, and the ground would be as if a sea of devouring mouths had passed over it."

Old Mail Box.

Among the treasures held by the Antiquarian society in Portsmouth, N. H., there is an old box the history of which is given on a label which it bears. The box is of tin, painted green, and shows signs of much usage, which is not surprising when one considers that it carried the United States mail between Portsmouth and Boston during the Revolution. It is about nine inches long, four and a half inches wide and a little more than that in height. It was carried on horseback by Captain John Noble otherwise known as Deacon Noble who was post rider until 1783. This box contained all the mail and made every week one round trip, occupying three days in the journey—from Portsmouth to Boston the first of the week and three days at the end of the week from Boston to Portsmouth. The distance between the two places is a little more than fifty miles.

Professional Orators.

When Lord Rosmead, then Sir Hercules Robinson, was governor of New South Wales, in the early seventies, it fell to his lot to admit the erstwhile cannibal kingdom of Fiji as an integral part of the British empire. During the incidental ceremonies he noticed that none of the great fighting chiefs spoke in person and that each of them had a professional orator on his staff. As an Irishman, with a strong sense of humor, Sir Hercules was naturally tickled by such a novel situation, and when he got back to Sydney he repeatedly eulogized the arrangement, pointing out that the man of action was very rarely a man of words and that civilization might very well learn a lesson from Pacific chiefs. —London Chronicle.

The Fate of the Fancy Set.

James, aged seven, had been promoted. In recognition of this great event his father purchased for him the following things that James insisted were necessary:

A box of one dozen pencils, assorted leads; one ink and one pencil eraser, one pencil box with a marvelous roll top, three copybooks for home work two penholders and a patent strap that was a marvel of ingenuity, but somehow or other didn't seem to hold the books very firmly.

The father examined the outfit a few days after and found that it contained—

One much chewed lead pencil furnished by the city, a scribbling pad with a few sheets on it, a tin fountain pen that did not work and never could have worked and a skate strap to hold the things together.

The father asked no questions. He instinctively knew what had become of the fancy implements of education. —New York Press.

The Twenty Cent Revenge.

She was in a very bad temper as she boarded an Amsterdam avenue car. Her temper was not improved by the fact that as she drew a quarter of a dollar from her jeweled gold purse the coin slipped from her fingers and rolled on the floor of the car. She made no move to recover the money, but when the conductor came in to collect her fare she pointed with the tip of her handsome parasol to the coin.

"I dropped my fare," she said snappishly. "Pick it up."

The young conductor looked her in the eye for just a moment, and then, stooping, he picked the coin from between the slats on the floor covering. Leisurely he took four nickels from his pocket and put them where the quarter had been before. Maybe it was the effort of bending that made his face red When he straightened up he rang up the fare, turned and sauntered back to the rear platform.—New York Press.

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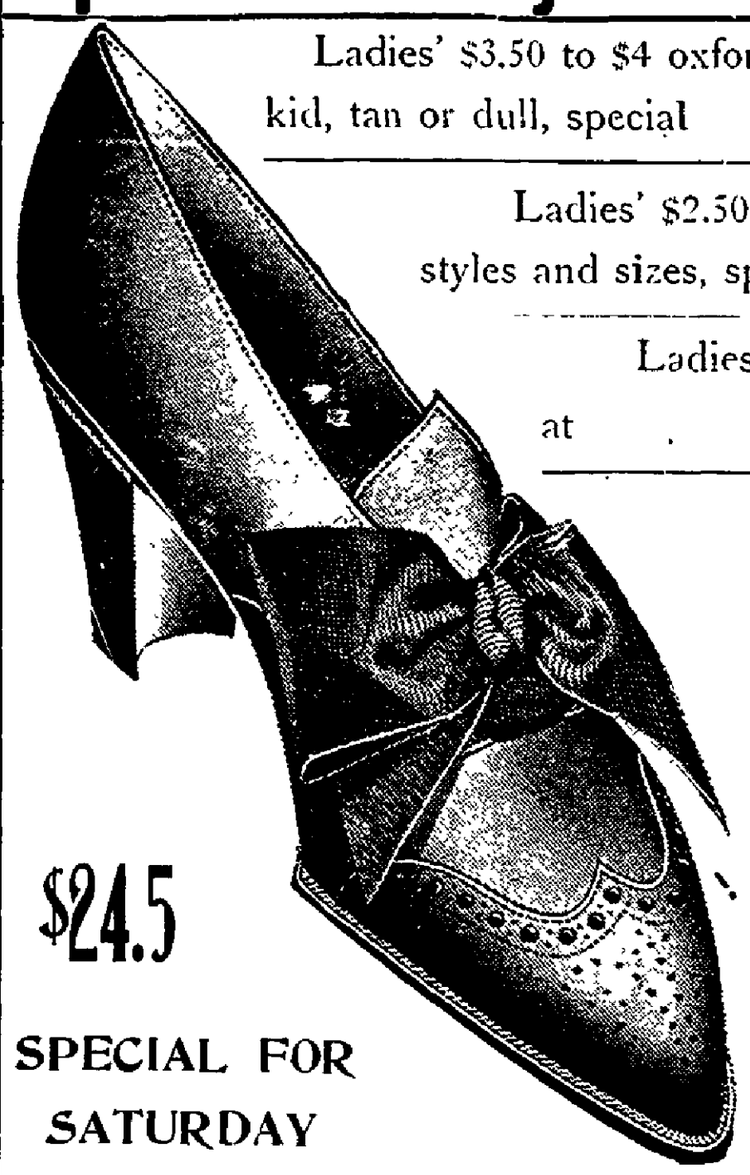

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Witticisms of Marie Leczinska, the Wife of Louis XV.

The wife of Louis the Well Beloved had more need than most of the consolations of wisdom and philosophy. That she possessed them both in a marked degree is quite evident. "To great goodness Marie Leczinska joined solid information," says Imbert de Saint-Amand in "The Court of Louis XV." "She knew six languages—Polish, French, Italian, German, Swedish, Latin. Men of letters were struck by the shrewdness of her judgment on things of the mind. Several of her maxims have been preserved, which attest a lofty soul and a profound knowledge of the human heart. Here are some of them: 'We ought not to reflect more on the faults of others than will suffice to preserve ourselves from them.' 'Human wisdom teaches us to conceal our pride; reason alone destroys it.' 'To live peaceably in society we must open our eyes to the qualities which please us and shut them on the follies and caprices which shock us.' 'The women who pique themselves most on knowing what it is allowable for them to be ignorant of are those who care least about instructing themselves concerning what it is shameful not to know.' 'Many princes have regretted when dying that they had made war; we never see any who repented of having loved peace.' 'Good kings are slaves, and their people are free.' 'The only thing which can make amends for the slavery of the throne is the pleasure of doing some good.' 'In politics, as in morals, the shortest way to make men happy is to endeavor to make them virtuous.'"

WOMAN WHO WOULDN'T.

Idiotic Feminine Pose That Altogether Lacks Sense.

If some women and girls can't be great martyrs and are denied the exalted joy of being burned at the stake or otherwise sacrificed, they do not intend to blush unseen nevertheless. They fix up their own little role of martyrdom and play it to the bitter end—bitter, that is, to those who have to listen to tales of it, for, be it known, the role is milk and honey to whoever plays it.

As a rule, the feminine martyr starts in to do good to some one near and dear to her. So far so good. That surely is something to admire. But it's the way she goes about it. Perhaps it's a young brother that she's supporting. She assures you she could not earn money for herself; it's only for love of him, and that in face of the fact that she owns no property and hasn't a penny of income. Could anything be sillier or weaker or more puerile? How else would she live?

Another type, better off in worldly goods, declares that she wears pretty clothes only to please her children or her father or her friend. Why apologize? Very likely she does not make herself dangerously lovely, after all. Another enjoys a good table because her husband likes good things to eat. Again, why apologize? As well apologize for being respectable or having a little sense.

This being interesting, or at least in the limelight at all costs, is tiresome.

Uncle Paid.

Many years ago Shuter, a popular actor, was engaged for a few nights in a principal city in the north of England. It was in the coaching days and it happened that the stage in which he traveled (and in which there were only an old gentleman and himself) was stopped by a single highwayman.

The old gentleman pretended to be asleep, but Shuter resolved to be even with him. Accordingly, when the highwayman presented his pistol and commanded Shuter to deliver his money instantly or he was a dead man, "Money!" returned he, with an idiotic shrug and a countenance inexpressibly vacant. "Oh, lor', sir! They never trust me with any, for uncle here always pays for me, turnpikes and all, your honor."

Upon which the highwayman gave him a few curses for his stupidity, complimented the old gentleman with a smart slap on the face to awaken him and robbed him of every shilling he had in his pocket, while Shuter, who did not lose a single farthing, with great satisfaction and merriment pursued his journey, laughing heartily at his fellow traveler.

Cooking on the Trail.

Our guide allowed me to assist him in preparing the breakfast, though I fancy my assistance might have been easily dispensed with. He sagely remarked that if I was going to rough it I might as well begin learning now as any time. It was astonishing how appetizing a meal he prepared with the very fewest conveniences. For instance, he made bread in the sack of flour without using a bread pan. He hollowed out a cavity in the flour, poured in water, added salt and baking powder in proper quantities, then proceeded to mix the dough. He did another thing in his cooking that amused me very much. To prevent the coffee boiling over he placed a small willow stick across the open top of the pot. The lesson in physics soon followed. The coffee bubbled and then rushed up to the top of the pot as though it was going to boil over the sides and extinguish the fire, but as soon as it touched the willow it subsided, like some sentient thing.—Forest and Stream.

Captain John Smith and Rats.

The intrepid navigator Captain John Smith in the course of his journeying in the Bermudas had some experience

THE OLD MASTERS.

How Modern Artists Make a New Painting an Antique.

Europe is full of artists who, as far as line and color go, can turn admirable copies of anything. These copies are made on old canvases mounted on a framework of old wood, and when the paint is dry the picture is put through an ingenious aging process. A certain kind of varnish gives a ripe golden tone, and deepening of shadows, with a suggestion of the soil of centuries, is had by the smearing of licorice juice. As for the cracked paint surface—sure sign of age—that is obtained by baking the picture carefully in an oven or by laying a plaque of metal on the canvas and striking it gently with a hammer. Worm holes in frame or panels are merely a matter of fine shot fired in and afterward picked out. And fly specks to deceive the flies themselves may be had by the judicious spatter of india ink.

No doubt to the sure connoisseur there is something hard and cold about the copies, something vaguely unsatisfying, but no one can deny that they are enormously like the originals—so much like them that the great museums of Europe, all unsuspecting, have hung their walls with these mellow masterpieces of yesterday. It is said, for instance, that Rembrandt's portrait of Sobieski in the Louvre is not the original at all, but only a copy, the original being in Russia.—Cleveland Moffett in Success.

ANOTHER WORLD.

This Charming Bit of Philosophy Points the Road to It.

I live in two worlds—one in which I must consider the weather and clothes and meals and bills coming due and a host of duties and obligations, some of which weary me. It isn't really a bad world, and I haven't much ground to complain of it. It is comparatively a poor world however, when set against that other world into which I retire with every opportunity—the glorious, free and perfect world of my imagination. The common world, the world of meals and clothes and weather, I share with everybody. No preference or special consideration is given to me. I often get a kick or a cuff that I despise, even though I know that I earned it. But the other world is all my own. I am its creator, king and master. Nothing happens in it that does not please me; nothing exists without my consent. It revolves around me. I am its sun and center; all else is subordinate. There is no order, system or law in it that gives me the slightest trouble, for I alter, change or abolish these at my pleasure. Of course I escape whenever I can from the common everyday world in which I am so insignificant into the world which is wholly my own.—Orlando Jay Smith.

Playing Greenhorn.

"Why did you tell the manager of that employment agency that you had just come over?" said one servant girl to another. "You didn't, you know. You have had three situations in New York."

"I know that," said the girl. "I pretended to be green so she would try harder to get me a good place. Almost of these agencies the managers have green girls on their conscience. The sharks in the business, of course, will fleece them, but the average manager is sympathetic and gets them easy places to start with. I'll have a snap where I am going. The woman thinks I have just arrived and that she will have to break me in. Breaking in means that she will do half the work, while I will just stand around and look on. It pays sometimes to be a greenhorn."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Would Take Chances.

Mr. Philanthropist was passing a bakery when he observed a little girl gazing with longing eyes at some cakes displayed in the window. The youngster's wistful gaze was too much for Mr. Philanthropist, so he took immediate measures to satisfy her longing.

When she had in short order disposed of a rich bit of pastry she calmly asked for another.

"I should like very much to give you another," said the kindly man, "but I'm afraid it would make you sick."

"Get it for me anyhow," quickly responded the little girl. "I can git all the med'cine I need at the dispensary fer nuthin'."—New York Herald.

A Dangerous Place.

The two tramps had been particularly lucky, and, having funds in hand, they discussed plans for the night's shelter. "We can sleep under a roof if we like," said Wiggins.

"Sure we can," responded Higgins, "but some way these lodging houses make me nervous. Supposing a fire was to break out in the night?"

"You've got it right," agreed Wiggins dolefully. "It's no place for us. They'd turn the hose on us in a minute!"—Youth's Companion.

Syringe Bearing Firemen.

A studious fireman looked up from his book.

"In place of all these here electric engines, automatic chutes and so on," he said, "the only instrument they had to fight fire with in the seventeenth century was the syringe. Under the roof of every building that they thought worth saving—like cathedrals and such—there were big tanks to catch the rainwater, and beside each tank hung a syringe a yard long. Then when a fire came—squirt, squirt, they went with their syringes, and the building quickly burned down to the ground."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

THE CAPITOL STATUE

Heroic Figure That Surmounts the Dome In Washington.

THE MODEL WAS CHANGED

Jefferson Davis Objected to the Original as Designed by Crawford, and It Was Altered to Symbolize "Armed Liberty," as It Now Stands.

"Armed Liberty," the splendid statue that crowns the dome of the capitol, is by far the most symbolic of all the statues in Washington. Beautiful and reposeful, yet with an air of vigilance, it is perhaps the least appreciated of the city's statues, possibly because of its being placed at such an altitude that it cannot easily be studied. The original plans of the capitol called for a statue to surmount the dome, but no title was then given it, and comparatively few people know the real name of the statue.

Seeking this information, a Post reporter interrogated a number of persons whose daily occupations keep them almost constantly beneath the shadow of the great statue. To the question "What is the name of the statue above the dome of this building?" came these widely different opinions:

"The name of that statue? Why, it's the Goddess of Freedom."

"Yes, I can tell you the name. It is the Goddess of Liberty."

Several declared it to be the statue of Independence. Others said, "It is an Indian woman."

"It is the god of Justice and Freedom," declared a portly man in a tone that defied questioning.

"It represents an American woman, but I am not sure of her name."

"Well, now I never inquired what lady that statue commemorates," remarked a politician from a not very distant state, "but it is a fine work of art."

"It is a statue of the god of war, Mars."

"Can you tell me something about that statue above the dome?" was asked a man whose knowledge is well known.

"Why, certainly. It is a woman of colonial days. Can't you see the trimming around the [illegible] and the curls about the face? And the features are delicately molded. You see, I have studied the model at the museum. It surely is a woman. I think you can safely say it is an American woman."

One who always tries his best to help others said: 'Now, all statues, as you know, bear the names of the people they represent, and if you will just step over to the library of congress I think you can easily find some book on statues that will tell you all you want to know. It is a woman, I am sure, so look for the female statues."

A younger member of the house replied to the question about the statue most suavely and confidingly. "It is the god of progress; you know his name." Several of the colored men in the various parts of the building were nearly all quite sure it was the Goddess of Freedom. One of them knew the year, 1863, when it was placed above the dome, and he affirmed, "It is the Goddess of American Liberty Before the War."

"You want to know the name of that statue? Well, just wait a minute, and I will get it for you first hand." And a most accommodating guide passed into the senate chamber. Directly he returned.

"That is a statue of Pocahontas." Every one had a different name for the statue, not one giving the real name, "Armed Liberty."

The statue was modeled by Thomas Crawford, father of the novelist, the late F. Marion Crawford. It was cast at a Maryland foundry. Jefferson Davis was secretary of war when the model was first presented in the war department. The statue then wore a liberty cap and carried a bundle of rods. Davis objected to the liberty cap as being emblematic of the emancipated slaves, while Americans were freeborn. He also thought the bundle of rods, suggesting the functions of the Roman lictor, had lost its symbolic character. Because of these criticisms of Secretary Davis the model was changed, and "Armed Liberty" was evolved.

The statue is nine feet six inches tall and weighs 14,985 pounds. It was put in place on Dec. 2, 1863. The head is thrown back and adorned with eagle's beak and plumes. The right hand rests on a sword, and the left holds an olive branch and a shield. The mantle is gracefully draped and is held by a brooch bearing "U. S." on its face. The helmet is encircled with stars. The supporting globe bears the legend "E Pluribus Unum."—Washington Post.

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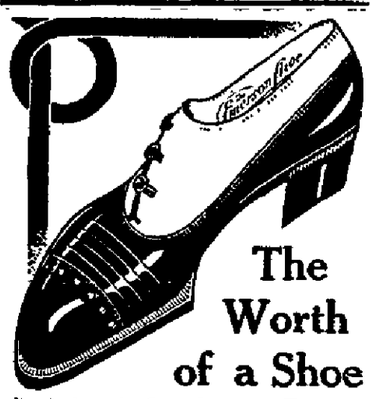

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To Joseph Bamford, Jr., and all other persons interested in the property below described:

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JOHN C. MURPHY,
Sheriff.

April 27, 1910
D. M. McCloskey, Attorney.
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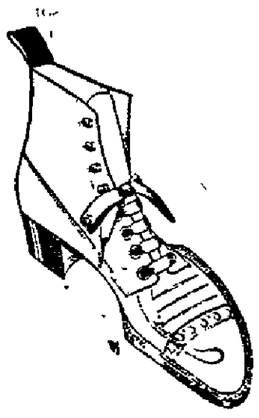

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CIRCUS ARRIVES SUNDAY FOR PERFORMANCES TODAY

Largest Aggergation of Kind That Ever Came to Charieroi.

PARADE A BIG FEATURE

Weather Interferes Somewhat, but Crowds Are in Town to Witness Affair

Although interferred with to some extent by the weather the Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers big circus is here today, and is giving two shows. The first show is this afternoon at 2 o'clock, in the big tent which was pitched yesterday on the ball ground and the evening show will be at 8 o'clock, the doors onening at 7.

The show arrived in town from Connellsville yesterday morning at about 5 o'clock, and work was at once gotten under way of unloading the carloads of wagons and animals. On the old circus ground and on the ball ground the tents were pitched. The main show is on the ball ground, the big tent having been pitched in right field. On the center of the diamond is the animal tent, through which one has to pass to enter the big arena. The side show tent is located between the ball ground and the railroad, while the eating tent, the cook tent, and the horse tents are located on the old circus ground.

The parade was an early morning feature, on account of the arrival early Sunday morning, the show people having been able to get ready sooner than is usual for a similar aggregation. The parade was the finest ever seen in Charleroi, the gorgeous carriages and equipment calling forth the respectful admiration of the crowds which lined the streets. The band music was of more than usual excellence.

The Forepaugh and Sells Brothers show is the largest that ever visited Charleroi, as is evidenced by the space occupied by the tents. Consequently it has in greater number the wonders of the world, as well as the finer class of showmen, and show women. The shows have a wonderful display of animals.

During Sunday Charleroi's population turned out in force at the show grounds and many came from Monessen and other towns to watch the operation of unloading and pitching the tents. This afternoon an immense crowd is witnessing the show.

The schools were dismissed early for both morning and afternoon sessions, to see the parade, and attend the show.

How to Keep a Husband Home

The good wife always studies how to keep her husband home, for she'd rather have him with her than be in the house alone, and so she don't forget their courting days when as a girl, her lover's praise would set her heart and pulses all a-whirl. She knows full well the value of a smile and pretty gown, when she meets her lord and master as he comes home tired from town, and the house all neat and tidy, and a restful atmosphere, and some loving word of greeting his weary heart to cheer. The woodwork with Chi-Namel all glistening and bright, no man from such a home would ever go down town at night. The new Parquetry Floor Stenciling Process gives a hundred dollar floor at a cost of only 2c per sq. foot. Any one can apply it. Sold by T. P. Grant. 32

Former Charleroi Man Played With Forepaugh Band

The arrival of Forepaugh and Sells Brothers shows brings to mind the fact that some years ago a Charleroi man was a member of the band, one of the best show bands on the road. This was Joseph Rossomme, a member of the Rossomme family here, who played a clarinet with one of the bands during the season of 1907 and 1908. He is now located in Los Angeles, Cal., where he is playing in a theatre.

TO REBUILD OLD PLANT

Plate Glass Company Will Start Work at Ford City

DESTROYED LAST WEEK

Was Running to Full Capacity and Loss is Serious One

The Pittsburg Plate Glass company has announced that it will start work at once on the erection of its Ford City plant which was burned down last Monday. Part of the plant will be started at once, and glass will be made in the small unburned portion. The total loss to the company from the fire is estimated at between $300,000 and $400,000. The burned portion was the older part and not the portion which had recently been built and enlared at great cost. The Pittsburg Plate Glass company carried its own insurance, and in the insurance fund there is enough to repair all damage that has come to the Ford City factory. The most serious trouble it is stated, caused by the fire, will be the delay in filling orders. The Ford City works was regarded as one of the best of the Pittsburg Plate Glass company and was running to its capacity.

GRAND JURY IN FAVOR OF NEW ROAD UP RIVER

The grand jury last week approved the proposition to improve the road with brick between Stockdale and Roscoe. A former grand jury had approved a proposition to improve this road with macadam, but this has been changed and brick will be substituted.

The road is 1,121.5 feet in length. To improve with brick, it is estimated it will cost $3,598.99 Adding to this ten per cent for incidentals the total estimated cost of bricking the road would be $3,958.89. To macadamize the road it is estimated it would cost $2,553.24, and adding ten per cent for incidentals the total estimated cost of macadaimzing would be $2,808.56.

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RAILROAD DETECTIVES ARRESTED MORE THAN THE JAIL WOULD HOLD

Halt Called by County Officials on Number Being Sent Over, Unless the Company Would Pay.

A good story has leaked out from Washington, Pa., concerning the activites of the Pennsylvania railroad detectives in enforcing the order to prevent trespassers from walking on the tracks.

It is stated that in the first place the railroad company did not put the order into effect upon its own accord. The State Railroad Commission inquired why so many were being killed on the tracks and investigated the records, after which it made a recommendation that the company put into force an order tending to prevent the wanton destruction of life. Then the Pennsylvania Railroad company prepared and issued the trespassing order, with the result that within a remarkably short time the detectives had the jails well nigh filled, including the Washington county jail.

So promiscuous did the arrests become, and so many were being sent to Washington, thus greatly increasing the expense, that the commissioners of the county and the controller were forced to call a halt, and informed the railroad that they could no longer pay the expenses of the tresspassers and if the company desired to maintain the prisoners they could do so, but the county would not be responsible. This placed the railroad company between two fires. The people are gradually becoming acquainted with the order, however, and trespassing is not nearly so common.

FIND SKELETON ON RIVER BANK AT ALLENPORT

Skull Had Been Sawed in Two---Wrapped In An Old Coffee Sack

DOCTOR MAY HAVE USED IT

Tied up in a coffee sack and lying on the bank of the river on the Allenport side opposite Fayette City, where it had been thrown by some unknown hands no one can tell when, a human skeleton devoid of flesh unjointed and the skull sawed in two, was fouud Thursday by junk men while looking for junk along the river banks. It had evidently been lying in the sand for some time for the sack was rotten and when picked up, the contents fell to the ground.

The sack was picked up by J. A. Ballmer, who owns a junk boat that plys up and down the river buying old rags, iron and paper. The skeleton may have been used by some doctor for experimental work, and when through with it, had disposed of it by throwing it in the river, when it was later washed ashore, or it may have been cast on the ground where it was found.

The skeleton is now at the undertaking rooms of Correll and Crowley at Charleroi.

BOTTLE BLOWERS HOLD MEMORIAL

Rev. Hostetter Preaches Good Sermon to Glass Workers

The members of the Green Bottle Blowers Association, Charleroi local No. 93 of Charleroi, held their first memorial services in Charleroi at the First Christian church yesterday afternoon, when a sermon was delivered to the glass workers by Rev. V. G. Hosteter, the pastor.

There were about 75 of the members of the union present, and a large number of outsiders. David H. Glunt, president of the union, was master of ceremonies. He gave a brief talk, in which he outlined the general work of the Bottle Blowers Association since its organization about 10 years ago, and of the local union.

Rev. Hostetter spoke on the topic, "The Royalty of Service," his general theme being the dignity of labor.

The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and each member of the association wore a white carnation, and each person who attended was given a carnation of the same hue.

Mrs. Harry Barnhart was called to Cleveland, Ohio, Saturday by the illness of her father who was operated upon for abscess of the bowels at the Lutheran Hospital.

CENSUS REPORTS MUST BE IN BY SATURDAY NIGHT

Rural Districts Reporting Now to Census Supervisor Frye

ARE QUICKLY TABULATED

All reports of census enumerators will be due in the supervisors' office by Saturday of this week, and indications are that there will be no delay. In the local district many have already reported to Census Supervisor C. O. Frye of Charleroi, and he is having them tabulated as rapidly as possible.

The reports have all been made from the seven towns and cities in the 21st district, where the census was taken in the allowed time of two weeks. In the rural districts a month's time was given for enumeration.

Lots Nos. 16, 18 and 20 in section A, between Seventh and Eighth streets, Charleroi, were disposed of under the sheriff's hammar at Washington Saturady. They were taken in execution as the property of B. A. Zollner, at the suit of the Allen Lumber company and were sold to Allen Lumber company. Consideration $102.27.

DOCTORS TO MEET IN RIVER TOWN

Regular Session Will Be Held This Month at California

The regular monthy meeting of the Washington County Medical Society will be held in the hall of the People's bank at California on Tuesday. There has been a good program prepared of special interest to medical men as follows.

"Diagnosis and Treatment of Tuberculous Salpingitis." Dr. Chas. B. Wood of Monongahela.

"Indications and Contraindications for Curettage," Dr. J. W Hunter of Charleroi.

"Diagnosis of Pelvic Inflammation," Dr. M. H. Day of Donora.

A goodly number of the county physicians are expected to be in attendance.

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You can join the special excursion train which leaves Columbia and Nashville, Tennessee, Tuesday, May 17, 1910, for San Angelo, Carlsbad and the Colleys Park, Texas, at Little Rock, Arkansas, by leaving Charleroi on 6:56 a. m. train on same date. Ticket for round trip $50.00, good for 25 days with liberal stop over privileges on return.

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CONGRESSMAN'S PROSPECTS GOOD FOR ANOTHER TERM

Beaver County Aspirant Not Expected to Furnish Hot Contest.

LOCAL MAN VERY POPULAR

Work Done in Congress Wins Him Many Friends in the 24th District.

With the close of the time for filing applications for nominations at the primary election in June the campaign will be inaugrated in earnest. As usual, the fight will be for the Republican nominations, as this party is decidedly in the majority in the county and Congressional and Senatorial districts, and a nomination is equivalent to an election. With two Republican candidates for Congress, two for State Senate and an even dozen for Assembly, the campaign ought to be interesting, to say the least. This should have the effect of getting the vote out, and instead of a light vote, as anticipated, the indications now are that, with all the candidates and their friends at work, the vote will be approximately as large as at the primary election two years ago. So far as the Congressional contest is concerned, there is nothing to it. Congressman J. K. Tener is infinitely stronger than he was two years ago, when he came out in opposition to E. F. Acheson as a candidate for the nomination for Congress and so overwhelmingly defeated the latter. Then Mr. Acheson had not only the advantage of being the incumbent in Congress, but he had all the aid of the patronage his omce commanded, which is great, besides control of the political organization of his party in all three counties of the district. This time this is reversed, and all these forces are with Mr. Tener, who by his tact, consideration, and executive ability in handling the various questions that have come up since his election, is most firmly intrenched in the district. He is in close touch with all sections, and there is no discord anywhere. Two years ago he was a comparative stranger in many parts of the district. Today he is well known, and there is every indication that he will get a larger majority than two years ago.

As all the other candidates are from this county, there promises to be a warm fight. On the threshold of the campaign there is no indication at this time as to the final outcome.

YOUNG MAN CAPTURED

Bogus Magazine Agent Arrested in Fayette County

CASE WILL BE PUSHED

Frank A. Munsey Company at Back of Proceedings Against Him

Word was received by George W. Might, son of George S. Might, the local newsdealer, yesterday, from the Frank A. Munsey company, to the effect that the alleged magazine swindler, who had been working in this section had been captured in the neighborhood. The capture was made through the efforts of B. E. Jones, an agent of the Munsey company, who has been on the trail of the young man for some time.

The name of the man arrested, it is stated, is H. A. Gardner. In their letter to Mr. Might, the Munsey company thanks him for his efforts in assisting them, and stated that it was through his promptness in reporting the arrival of the young man in this section that aided them in his capture.

Mr. Jones for a few days made his headquarters in Uniontown, and sent from there circular descriptions to police nearabouts, so that his capture was made easier. At just what place he was arrested cannot be learned. Gardner will be give.. a trial, and according to the Munsey people they expect to "put him to work."

Stars Beat Monongahela

The Charleroi Stars at the local diamond Saturday defeated a Monongahela team by the score of 6 to 1. The batteries for Charleroi were McGowan and Demarco, and for Monongahela, Sailor and Pollock.

The grand jury last week ignored the bill against Tony Trocasio, charged with killing Vincenzo Gaimbo, at Shire Oaks April 2. Trocasio is still in the Monongahela hospital suffering from wounds received at the hands of Gaibma whom he later shot and killed The evidence showed that Trocaiso had fired after he himself had been shot at twice by Gaimba.

F. B. Gaayman of East Bethlehem township, a prominent farmer of that section, was in town today.

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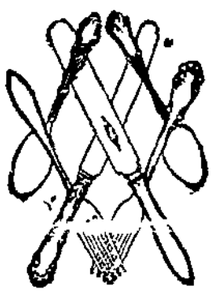

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The Circus.

With the great Forepaugh and Sells Brothers Circus in Charleroi today the town is the Mecca for outside people for miles around, as well as a thriller for the entire population. Business and the public schools are demoralized, and until the outfit is loaded on the trains and pulls out late tonight, thecommunity will not settle down to normal conditions again.

With each recurring year the circus is becoming more and more a feature of American life. In early years the circus was considered in many circles sinful and worldly and was tabooed by a considerable element of society. Today this is all past. It is quite the thing to go to the modern circus now, and the institution is an educator as well as a means of recreation and entertainment.

Another exploded theory is that circuses take too much money out of town. As a matter of fact a big circus actually leaves more money in the town proper than it takes out. The show draws its surplus from the outside crowds. As an economic factor it is a benefit. It advertises the town and brings people here. The show management pays out more money in maintaining its people and stock than the town actually pays in the way of admissions. Besides that it affords a delightful break in the lives of old and young and adds greatly to the limited pleasures of life.

Boost the Fourth.

Today, large crowds of outside people will visit Charleroi to attend the circus. These will meet and greet their old friends, at which time it will be a good opportunity to do some individual boosting for the Fourth of July celebration to be held here. Every resident should bear this in mind and take occasion to invite outside friends he meets today to return on the Fourth, and urge them to invite their friends, and their friend's friends. By so doing an endless chain in the way of advertising can be started and carried out.

Another good advertising feature today is for all the business places and individuals to be hospitable to out of town people. Invite them to make the stores and shops headquarters, and so far as possible provide places for women with children and aged people to sit down and rest. Take care of packages and parcels, and be friendly and hospitable in every possible manner. This treatment will be as bread cast upon the waters, and it will return not only on the Fourth but on many succeeding occasions thereafter.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The Fayettte City Journal informs the Mail of its antiquity when it used once the expression "We'er from Missour:," yet last week the up-to-date Journal came out with a headline in 36 point type, "School Days, School Days, Good Old Golden Rule Days," not heeding the fact, that although the first named expression is still in use the latter is wearing whiskers yards in length.

The largest train in the world might be the train on a woman's [illegible] troublesome train.

The commencement of all kinds of schools, township, high school grade, and others is becoming the fashion. In some it is all right to call the exercises "commencement." because they are beginning to commence, but in others it is the wrong, for they are only commencing to begin.

It's a tribute to the P. R. R. detectives that they sent more people to jail than the jails were willing to handle. All because of the Railroad Commission.

In Chicago, a dying man was arrested on the streets. It must be there that dying is considered a misdemeanor.

A 1,000 or so friends of Congressman Cooper of the Fayette district are anxious to have him maintain his seat in Congress. No doubt expect him to attain a place on the Rivers and Harbors committee, eventually.

The Atchison Globe says that everybody wastes half his time. They should add to that statement every person except a wide awake newspaper man—he doesn't dare, or he will starve

It may be regarded as a sure sign that the girl who is most willing to elope with her lover, is not expecting any wedding presents anyway.

Says the Sheep Hill Philosopher of the New Castle Herald: "One proof of [illegible] men's superority over the women is that they never button their clothes down the back."

The credit for the drop in the price of eggs must be given to the hens, and not to the packing interests.

COURT CONTINUES INJUNCTION IN CHARLEROI CASE

After hearing the testimony on Saturday in the injunction suit of Mattie K. French and Mary A. Mincks of Charleroi against Robert Fram, the court continued the preliminary injunction heretofore granted until final hearing and the further order of the court. The plaintiffs seek to enjoin the defendants from interfering with or stopping up a certain sewer that accommodates the plaintiffs, property on Second street, Charleroi. This sewer runs along the dividing line between the plaintiffs' and defendants' properties.

Miss Mary Bukrop returned home yesterday from Pittsburg, where she spent a week visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wiley and Mrs. Sadie Riffle of Adah, Fayette county, are in Charleroi for the circus being the guests of the formers' daughter, Mrs. Evan Kelly of McKean avenue.

A. J. Fisher, a prominent farmer of Carroll township was in town today.

At the Methodist church yesterday morning, Rev. W. E. Lewis of Allenport preached for the pastor, Rev. A. M. Doak. In the evening Rev. J. E. Brenneman of Monessen preached.

Miss Margaret McKelvie has arrived from Uniontown and will spend some time here.

Mrs. J. T. Harris, has returned from Youngstown, Ohio, where she spent several weeks with friends.

Mrs. Nathan Greenberg has returned home after a fortnight's visit in Philadelphia, with relatives.

MODES OF THE MOMENT.

Chiffons are still trimmed with folds of satin or velvet

Dyed laces of a coarse mesh will be worn on tailored linens

The sleeve in one piece with the corsage is gaining considerable prestige. [illegible] as at present.

Some of the braid trimmed waists are wonderfully fetching and give ample scope for extravagant elaboration with simple lines

While the entire costume is now considered more dressy, the spring showing of separate blouses is undeniably larger and more varied than for several seasons.

Tiny pockets in all manner of odd designs are very much in evidence, although they are in reality but a travesty on the name, never by any chance being other than mere patches and therefore entirely ornamental. — New York Post

A Compositor's Blunder.

Some years ago the following apologetic explanation for a compositor's blunder appeared in a leading weekly literary journal published in London:

"In our last number, as we discovered unfortunately too late for correction, we announced that Mr John Stuart Mill's inaugural address lately delivered before the University of St. Andrews [illegible] by him in the form of a five shilling elephant.' Even the most ardent believers in Mr. Mill's powers among our readers will probably have received this announcement with some incredulity. The fact is that by an error of the press the word 'elephant' was substituted for 'pamphlet,' and the mistake, although the proof was read and reread, unluckily escaped the corrector's eye."

An Ancient Sky Pilot.

From Garnett's "Anthology," volume 1, page 48, I copy the following, taken from the "Writings of Lucian," a Greek born about 100 A. D.:

"We were suddenly caught by a whirlwind, which turned our vessel several times around in a circle with tremendous velocity and lifted it above 5,000 stadia in the air, not settling it down again on the sea, but kept it suspended above the water at that height and carried us on, with swelled sails, above the clouds."

In these days of air conquest this quotation might be of utmost interest to aeronauts and also literary men. This ancient Gulliver long preceded Swift, and as for outdistancing Jules Verne another quotation is added:

"Having thus continued our course through the sky for a space of seven days and as many nights, on the eighth day we described a sort of earth in the air," etc. (which proved to be the moon).

The thoroughly familiar vernacular expression "going some" applies with original vigor to this early and perhaps first sky pilot.—New York Times.

A PERILOUS PERCH.

Two Nights on a Ledge of a Lofty Peak in the Tyrol.

In the northeastern corner of the Tyrol is the best skee ground in Europe, writes W. A. Baillie-Grohman in "Tyrol." The region has many lofty peaks, which make mountain climbing of interest The author gives one of his adventures on a peak near the village of Kitzbuhel.

On one of these peaks occurred to me many years ago a little adventure which gave me an opportunity of admiring the grand view rather longer than was pleasant.

I was out stalking chamois, and, having some unoccupied hours in the middle of the day, when stalking is practically useless, as the beasts are resting, I thought I would ascend one of those pinnacles upon which at that time few human beings, I suppose, had ever set foot.

The very last bit was a smooth faced rock not more than twelve feet high, but absolutely unclimbable if unaided by rope or another man upon whose shoulders one could get and so obtain a hand grip of the top and thus draw oneself up. As I was alone I had recourse to a short length of rope I had in my rucksack. Making a slip noose, I threw it upward till it gripped some projection. Then I drew myself up

While looking about me an unfortunate movement of my legs, which were dangling over the brink as I sat, caused the rope to slip and fall down to the small ledge on which I had stood when flinging it upward This ledge or band of rock was uncomfortably narrow, not wider than thirty inches, and the abyss below was a perpendicular wall four or five church steeples in depth.

At first it did not seem such a serious fix to be in. By letting myself drop to the ledge, my extended arms gripping the top, the distance between the soles of my feet and the ledge was not more than four feet or so—nothing to speak of if that yawning gulf had not been there and I had had boots on my feet. But, having taken these off and left them below, together with my coat and rifle, I should have to drop on to sharp rocks barefooted and hence would be very apt to lose my balance.

The more I considered the position the more I funked that drop, and, to make a long story short, I stayed on that pinnacle two nights, until the morning of the third day, before hunger drove me to risk the drop, which I did in safety.

How I got down the remainder of that descent, "shinning" down chimneys and creeping along narrow edges, was a mystery to me afterward, for I was faint with hunger and my knees trembled and shook under me. When I reached the first habitation where I happened to be known the peasant woman at the door hardly recognized me.

The Canny Scot's Sense of Humor.

The reason a Scot does not laugh at a joke right away, says Dean Ramsay, is not, as is the popular fiction, that he is "slow in the uptake," but that the canny man will not commit himself He must think it over before he does [illegible] which the joke deserves. The Scot minister, who is Scotland's common public speaker, is aware, consciously or instinctively, of this trait, and his delivery of an anecdote with a point is a thing of unique art.

Solicitude.

"Charley, dear," said young Mrs Torkins, "didn't you say that horse you bought was a pedigree?"

"Yes," was the complacent reply.

"Well, knowing how unlucky you are with horses, I consulted a veterinary surgeon. You needn't worry The doctor says it won't hurt him in the least."—Washington Star.

What Man Owes to Birds.

"It should be realized," said a naturalist, "that without birds to hold in check the insects vegetable life soon would cease and life for man would become impossible upon the earth. Birds are nature's check to the amazing power of insects to increase. If insect life were allowed free course it would soon overpower plant life, and therefore animal life, including that of man, would be impossible. This is an astounding conclusion, but it is the conclusion of science. If the birds were gone very soon the leaves would disappear from the trees, and the limbs would be festooned with the webs of caterpillars or with masses of their nests. These would move from tree to tree, increasing by the million as they advanced. In the course of a few seasons there would be no trees In the fields other species of insects would destroy the grass and the grain and all vegetable life, and the ground would be as if a sea of devouring mouths had passed over it."

Old Mail Box.

Among the treasures held by the Antiquarian society in Portsmouth, N. H., there is an old box the history of which is given on a label which it bears. The box is of tin, painted green, and shows signs of much usage, which is not surprising when one considers that it carried the United States mail between Portsmouth and Boston during the Revolution It is about nine inches long, four and a half inches wide and a little more than that in height. It was carried on horseback by Captain John Noble otherwise known as Deacon Noble who was post rider until 1783. This box contained all the mail and made every week one round trip, occupying three days in the journey—from Portsmouth to Boston the first of the week and three days at the end of the week from Boston to Portsmouth. The distance between the two places is a little more than fifty miles.

Professional Orators.

When Lord Rosmead, then Sir Hercules Robinson, was governor of New South Wales, in the early seventies, it fell to his lot to admit the erstwhile cannibal kingdom of Fiji as an integral part of the British empire During the incidental ceremonies he noticed that none of the great fighting chiefs spoke in person and that each of them had a professional orator on his staff As an Irishman, with a strong sense of humor, Sir Hercules was naturally tickled by such a novel situation, and when he got back to Sydney he repeatedly eulogized the arrangement, pointing out that the man of action was very rarely a man of words and that civilization might very well learn a lesson from Pacific chiefs. —London Chronicle.

The Fate of the Fancy Set.

James, aged seven, had been promoted. In recognition of this great event his father purchased for him the following things that James insisted were necessary:

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The father examined the outfit a few days after and found that it contained—

One much chewed lead pencil furnished by the city, a scribbling pad with a few sheets on it, a tin fountain pen that did not work and never could have worked and a skate strap to hold the things together.

The father asked no questions. He instinctively knew what had become of the fancy implements of education.—New York Press.

The Twenty Cent Revenge.

She was in a very bad temper as she boarded an Amsterdam avenue car. Her temper was not improved by the fact that as she drew a quarter of a dollar from her jeweled gold purse the coin slipped from her fingers and rolled on the floor of the car. She made no move to recover the money, but when the conductor came in to collect her fare she pointed with the tip of her handsome parasol to the coin.

"I dropped my fare," she said snappishly. "Pick it up."

The young conductor looked her in the eye for just a moment, and then, stooping, he picked the coin from between the slats on the floor covering. Leisurely he took four nickels from his pocket and put them where the quarter had been before. Maybe it was the effort of bending that made his face red When he straightened up he rang up the fare, turned and sauntered back to the rear platform.—New York Press.

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The wife of Louis the Well Beloved had more need than most of the consolations of wisdom and philosophy That she possessed them both in a marked degree is quite evident. "To great goodness Marie Leczinska joined solid information," says Imbert de Saint-Amand in "The Court of Louis XV." "She knew six languages—Polish, French, Italian, German Swedish Latin. Men of letters were struck by the shrewdness of her judgment on things of the mind Several of her maxims have been preserved, which attest a lofty soul and a profound knowledge of the human heart Here are some of them 'We ought not to reflect more on the faults of others than will suffice to preserve ourselves from them' 'Human wisdom teaches us to conceal our pride, to action alone destroys it.' 'To live peaceably in society we must open our eyes to the qualities which please us and shut them on the follies and caprices which shock us' 'The women who pique themselves most on knowing what it is allowable for them to be ignorant of are those who care least about instruction . . . shameful not to know' Many princes have regretted when dying that they had made war, we never see any who repented of having loved peace.' 'Good kings are slaves, and their people are free.' 'The only thing which can make amends for the slavery of the throne is the pleasure of doing some good' 'In politics as in love, the shortest way to make men happy is to endeavor to make them virtuous'"

WOMAN WHO WOULDN'T.

Idiotic Feminine Pose That Altogether Lacks Sense

If some women and girls can't be great martyrs and are denied the exalted joy of being burned at the stake or otherwise "dermined, they do not intend to b lush unseen nevertheless They fix up their own little role of martyrdom and play it to the bitter end—bitter, that is, to those who have to listen to talks of it, for, be it known, the role is milk and honey to whoever plays it.

As a rule, the feminine martyr starts in to do good to some one near and dear to her. So far so good That surely is something to admire But it's the way she goes about it Perhaps it's a young brother that she's supporting She assures you she could not earn money for herself, it's only for love of him, and that in face of the fact that she owns no property and hasn't a penny of income Could anything be sillier or weaker or more puerile? How else would she live?

Another type, better off in worldly goods, declares that she wears pretty clothes only to please her children or her father or her friend Why apologize? Very likely she does not make herself dangerously lovely, after all Another enjoys a good table because her husband likes good things to eat Again, why apologize? As well apologize for being respectable or having a little sense.

This being interesting, or at least in the limelight at all costs, is tiresome.

Uncle Paid.

Many years ago Shuter, a popular actor, was engaged for a few nights in a provincial city in the north of England It was in the coaching days and it happened that the stage in which he traveled (and in which there were only an old gentleman and himself) was stopped by a single highway man.

The old gentleman pretended to be asleep, but Shuter resolved to be even with him Accordingly, when the highwayman presented his pistol and commanded Shuter to deliver his money instantly or he was a dead man "Money!" returned he with an affected shrug and a countenance inexpressibly vacant. "Oh, lor', sir! They never trust me with any, for uncle here always pays for me, turnpikes and all, your honor."

Upon which the highwayman gave him a few curses for his stupidity, complimented the old gentleman with a smart slap on the face to awaken him and robbed him of every shilling he had in his pocket, while Shuter, who did not lose a single farthing with great satisfaction and merriment pursued his journey laughing heartily at his fellow traveler.

Cooking on the Trail.

Our guide allowed me to assist him in preparing the breakfast, though I fancy my assistance might have been easily dispensed with He sagely remarked that if I was going to rough it I might as well begin learning now as any time It was astonishing how appetizing a meal he prepared with the very fewest conveniences For instance, he made bread in the sack of flour without using a bread pan. He hollowed out a cavity in the flour, poured in water, added salt and baking powder in proper quantities, then proceeded to mix the dough He did another thing in his cooking that amused me very much To prevent the coffee boiling over he placed a small willow stick across the open top of the pot The lesson in physics soon followed. The coffee bubbled and then rushed up to the top of the pot as though it was going to boil over the sides and extinguish the fire, but as soon as it touched the willow it subsided, like some sentient thing.—Forest and Stream.

Captain John Smith and Rats.

The intrepid navigator Captain John Smith in the course of his journeying in the Bermudas had some experience

THE OLD MASTERS.

How Modern Artists Make a New Painting an Antique.

Europe is full of artists who, as far as line and color go, can turn admirable copies of anything. These copies are made on old canvases mounted on a framework of old wood and when the paint is dry the picture is put through an ingenious aging process A certain kind of varnish gives a ripe golden tone, and deepening of shadows, with a suggestion of the soil of centuries, is had by the smearing of licorice juice. As for the cracked paint surface—sure sign of age—that is obtained by baking the picture carefully in an oven or by laying a plaque of metal on the canvas and striking it gently with a hammer Worm holes in frame or panels are merely a matter of fine shot fired in and afterward picked out. And fly specks to deceive the flies themselves may be had by the judicious spatter of india ink

No doubt to the sure connoisseur there is something hard and cold about the copies, something vaguely unsatisfying, but no one can deny that they are enormously like the originals—so much like them that the great museums of Europe, all unsuspecting, . . . low masterpieces of yesterday. It is said, for instance, that Rembrandt's portrait of Sobieski in the Louvre is not the original at all, but only a copy, the original being in Russia.—Cleveland Moffett in Success

ANOTHER WORLD.

This Charming Bit of Philosophy Points the Road to It.

I live in two worlds—one in which I must consider the weather and clothes and meals and bills coming due and a host of duties and obligations, some of which wear me I reisn't really a bad world, and I haven't much ground to complain of it. It is comparatively a poor world however, when set against that other world into which I retire with every opportunity—the glorious, free and perfect world of my imagination. The common world, the world of meals and clothes and weather, I share with everybody No preference or special consideration is given to me I often get a kick or a cuff that I despise, even though I know that I earned it But the other world is all my own. I am its creator, king and master Nothing happens in it that does not please me, nothing exists without my consent It revolves around me I am its sun and center, all else is subordinate. There is no order system or law in it that gives me the slightest trouble, for I alter, change or abolish these at my pleasure Of course I escape whenever I can from the common everyday world in which I am so insignificant into the world which is wholly my own.—Orlando Jay Smith.

Playing Greenhorn.

"Why did you tell the manager of that employment agency that you had just come over?" said one servant girl to another "You didn't, you know You have had three situations in New York."

"I know that, said the girl "I pretended to be green so she would try harder to get me a good place At most of these agencies the managers have green girls on their conscience The sharks in the business, of course will fleece them, but the average manager is sympathetic and gets them easy places to start with I'll have a snap where I am going The woman thinks I have just arrived and that she will have to break me in. Breaking in means that she will do half the work while I will just stand around and look on. It pays sometimes to be a greenhorn"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Would Take Chances.

Mr. Philanthropist was passing a bakery when he observed a little girl gazing with longing eyes at some cakes displayed in the window The youngster's wistful gaze was too much for Mr Philanthropist, so he took immediate measures to satisfy her longing.

When she had in short order disposed of a rich bit of pastry she calmly asked for another

"I should like very much to give you another," said the kindly man "but I'm afraid it would make you sick"

"Get it for me anyhow," quickly responded the little girl "I can git all the medicine I need at the dispensary fer nuthin'."—New York Herald

A Dangerous Place.

The two tramps had been particularly lucky, and, having funds in hand, they discussed plans for the night's shelter. "We can sleep under a roof if we like," said Wiggins.

"Sure we can," responded Higgins, "but some way these lodging houses make me nervous Supposing a fire was to break out in the night?"

"You've got it right," agreed Wiggins dolefully "It's no place for us They'd turn the hose on us in a minute."—Youth's Companion

Syringe Bearing Firemen.

A studious fireman looked up from his book.

"In place of all these here electric engines, automatic chutes and so on," he said, "the only instrument they had to fight fire with in the seventeenth century was the syringe. Under the roof of every building that they thought worth saving—like cathedrals and such—there were big tanks to catch the rainwater, and beside each tank hung a syringe a yard long. Then when a fire came—squirt, squirt, they went with their syringes, and the building quickly burned down to the ground."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

THE CAPITOL STATUE

Heroic Figure That Surmounts the Dome In Washington.

THE MODEL WAS CHANGED

Jefferson Davis Objected to the Original as Designed by Crawford, and It Was Altered to Symbolize "Armed Liberty," as It Now Stands.

"Armed Liberty," the splendid statue that crowns the dome of the capitol, is by far the most symbolic of all the statues in Washington Beautiful and reposeful, yet with an air of vigilance, it is perhaps the least appreciated of the city's statues, possibly because of its being placed at such an altitude that it cannot easily be studied The original plans of the capitol called for a statue to surmount the dome, but no title was then given it, and comparatively few people know the real name of the statue

Seeking this information a Post reporter . . . sous whose daily occupations keep them almost constantly beneath the shadow of the great statue To the question "What is the name of the statue above the dome of this building?" came these widely different opinions

"The name of that statue? Why, it's the *Goddess of Freedom*."

"Yes I can tell you the name. It is the Goddess of Liberty."

Several declared it to be the statue of Independence. Others said, "It is an Indian woman."

"It is the God of Justice and Freedom," declared a portly man in a tone that defied question.

"It represents an American woman, but I am not sure of her name."

"Well, now I never inquired what lady that statue commemorates," remarked a policeman from a not very distant state, "but it is a fine work of art."

"It is a statue of the god of war, Mars."

"Can you tell me something about that statue above the dome?" was asked a man whose knowledge is well known.

"Why, certainly. It is a woman of colonial days. Can't you see the trimming around the people and the cats about the feet? And the features are delicately molded I am sure, I have studied the model at the museum. It surely is a woman I think you can safely say it is an American woman."

One who always tries his best to help others said: "Now, all statues, as you know, bear the names of the people they represent, and if you will just step over to the library of congress I think you can easily find some book on statues that will tell you all you want to know It is a woman, I am sure, so look for the female statues."

A younger member of the house replied to the question about the statue most suavely and confidingly. "It is the god of progress; you know his name" Several of the colored men in the various parts of the building were nearly all quite sure it was the Goddess of Freedom One of them knew the year 1863, when it was placed above the dome, and he affirmed, "It is the Goddess of American Liberty Before the War."

"You want to know the name of that statue? Well, just wait a minute, and I will get it for you first hand." And a most accommodating guide passed into the senate chamber Directly he returned

"That is a statue of Pocahontas." Every one had a different name for the statue, not one giving the real name, "Armed Liberty."

The statue was modeled by Thomas Crawford, father of the novelist, the late F Marion Crawford. It was cast at a Maryland foundry. Jefferson Davis was secretary of war when the model was first presented in the war department The statue then wore a liberty cap and carried a bundle of rods Davis objected to the liberty cap as being emblematic of the emancipated slaves, while Americans were freeborn. He also thought the bundle of rods suggesting the functions of the Roman lictor, had lost its symbolic character Because of these criticisms of Secretary Davis the model was changed, and "Armed Liberty" was evolved

The statue is nine feet six inches tall and weighs 14,985 pounds. It was put in place on Dec 2 1863 The head is thrown back and adorned with eagle's beak and plumes The right hand rests on a sword, and the left holds an olive branch and a shield The mantle is gracefully draped and is held by a brooch bearing "U S." on its face. The helmet is encircled with stars. The supporting globe bears the legend "E Pluribus Unum."—Washington Post.

The Emu's Kick.

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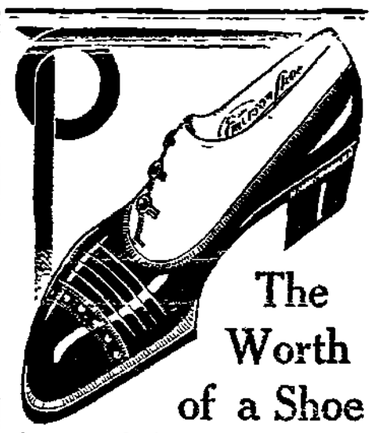

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To Joseph Bamford, Jr., and all other persons interested in the property below described:

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That on the 14th day of March, 1910, there was issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Pennsylvania, to Nos. 147 and 148 May Term, 1910 at the suit of the Borough of Charleroi, Pa., writs of scire facias against you reciting tax claims or liens for $37.95 Borough Tax for the years 1906-1907, filed on the 12th day of April, 1909 at No. 61 May Term., 1909, M. L. D., and School tax amounting to $29.40 for the year 1908, filed at No. 106 May Term, 1909, M. L. D.; against your property to wit.—Lots Nos. 198, 200, 202, 204, and 206 Meadow Avenue. Bounded on the north by Lot No. 208, of William Parks, on the east by McKean alley on the south by lot No. 196, of Jos. Bamford, Sr., and on the west by Meadow avenue, containing frontage of 200 feet on Meadow avenue, and 115 feet deep, and requiring you to file your affadavit of defense to said claims, if defense you have, within 15 days after the [illegible] writs on you. If no affadavit of defense to said claims be filed by you within 15 days after the 19th day of May, 1910, judgment may be entered against you for the whole of said claims, and the property aforesaid be sold to recover the amount thereof.

JOHN C. MURPHY,
Sheriff.

April 27, 1910
D. M. McCloskey, Attorney.
M-2-9-16

Notice of Sci. Fa. Sur Tax Claim

To Mike Pyesh alias M. Pyesh and all other persons interested in the property below described:

Take Notice.

That on the 14th day of March, 1910, there was issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Pennsylvania, to Nos. 110, 121, 131, 105, 120 and 133 May Term 1910 at the suit of the Borough of Charleroi, Pa., writs of scire facias against you reciting tax claims or liens for $4.38 Borough taxes for the years 1903, 1904 and 1905, filed on the 30th day of December, 1905 at No. 100 February Term, 1906, M. L. D.; on the 31st day of December, 1906, at No. 1315 February Term, 1907, M. L. D. on the 30th day of December, 1907, at No. 642 February Term, 1908, M. L. D.,—and School Tax amount to $4.32 for the years 1903, 1904 and 1905, filed at No. 89 February Term, 1906, M. L. D., No. 1314 February Term, 1907 M L D, and No 647, February Term, 1908 M L. D., against your property, to wit Being lot No. 162 in McMahan's Addition to the the Borough of Charleroi, Pa., bounded on the east by Meadow avenue, on the south by lot No. 161, on the west by Blythe alley, and on the north by lot No. 163, fronting twenty-five (25) feet on the west side of Meadow avenue and extending back therefrom a distance of 103.25 feet to Blythe alley, and requiring you to file your affidavit of defense to said claims, if defense you have, within 15 days after the service of the said writs on you. If no affidavit of defense to said claims be filed by you within 15 days after the 19th day of May, 1910, judgment may be entered against you for the whole of said claims, and the property aforesaid be sold to recover the amount thereof.

JOHN C. MURPHY,
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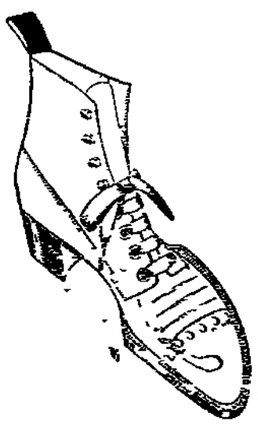

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